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Attorney Docket No. 01-100  
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Title Method & System For Providing Process-Cont  
Express Mail Label No. ET161055059US

## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.
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Enclosed for filing please find the patent application for an invention entitled, "Method and Apparatus For Providing Process-Container Platforms", filed on behalf of Consilient, Inc., assignee from inventor Erik J. Freed, including 92 pages of specification, 15 pages of claims, 47 sheets of drawing figures, and 1 page of Abstract.

This application claims the priority under 35 USC §119 to provisional application no. 60/216871, filed on July 7, 2000.

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